I am an XM Satellite customer and I value the programming offered by XM. I wish that my local stations offered a genuine traffic and weather alternative, but in Miami, there is no full-time traffic and weather station. Even the news stations that bill themselves as all-news are not (unless you consider infomercials and sports call-in shows news).

I pay for the programming that I receive from XM, and I believe that I should have the opportunity to tune in to traffic reports when I get into my car and have the need for the information, not just at times when it suits the local stations.

I therefore respectfully urge the FCC to reject the NAB's petition 04-160, and support XM's ability to provide the kind of programming that I demand and deserve.

Thank you.

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